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Certificate of Correction Branch
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Re: U.S. Patent for *Filtered Cigarette Incorporating an Adsorbent Material*
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Patent No. 7,240,678 B2; Issued July 10, 2007
Our File 030627/329069

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued for the above-identified patent, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.322. This request is made in order to correct the mistakes incurred through the fault of the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO").

The mistakes appearing in the patent are set forth on the Certificate of Correction e-filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PATENT NO. : 7,240,678 B2

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INVENTOR(S) : Crooks et al.

It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 21;

Line 25: "of fibrous" should read --of smoke-permeable fibrous--

Line 36: "wherein at least one channel extends through" should read
--wherein a plurality of longitudinally extending channels extend through--

Line 37: "material, said at least one channel being" should read
--material, each of said channels being--

Line 39: "a cross-sectional" should read --a total cross-sectional--

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